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SEASON REPORT FOR THE WEEK ENDING WITH THE THIRD SATURDAY IN 1947.

(18TH JANUARY 1947).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 18th January 1947 — This week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1947 — Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week 23·87	This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of col. 4 compared with col. 5 +14·93
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
BANGALORE.					
Bangalore City and Taluk ...	0 18	00 13	00 32	—0 19	
Hoskote ...	0 08	00 00	00 19	—0 19	
Dodballapur ...	0 11	00 00	00 21	—0 21	
Nelamangala ...	0 05	00 27	00 14	+0 13	
Kankanhalli ...	0 03	00 00	00 14	—0 14	
Magadi ...	0 08	00 00	00 20	—0 20	
Channapatna ...	0 03	00 00	00 13	—0 13	
Anekal ...	0 06	00 00	00 25	—0 25	
Devanhalli ...	0 17	00 00	00 29	—0 29	
Closepet ...	0 02	00 00	00 14	—0 14	
District Average ...	0 08	00 04	00 20	—0 16	
KOLAR.					
Kolar ...	0 18	00 00	00 29	—0 29	
Bowringpet ...	0 16	00 13	00 31	—0 18	
Chintamani ...	0 06	00 45	00 24	+0 21	
Mulbagal ...	0 07	00 47	00 45	+0 02	
Sidlaghatta ...	0 10	00 00	00 23	—0 23	
Chikballapur ...	0 08	00 11	00 24	—0 13	
Bagepalli ...	0 05	00 00	00 16	—0 16	
Goribidnur ...	0 07	00 00	00 16	—0 16	
Malur ...	0 10	00 00	00 31	—0 31	
Srinivaspur ...	0 07	00 00	00 29	—0 29	
Gudibanda ...	0 04	00 10	00 20	—0 10	
District Average ...	0 08	00 11	00 26	—0 15	
TUMKUR.					
Tumkur ...	0 00	00 00	00 09	—0 09	
Madhugiri ...	0 10	00 00	00 27	—0 27	
Chiknaikanhalli ...	0 00	03 41	00 20	+3 21	
Sira ...	0 04	00 68	00 23	+0 45	
Gubbi ...	0 04	00 00	00 09	—0 09	
Tiptur ...	0 03	00 00	00 05	—0 05	
Pavagada ...	0 00	00 20	00 20	—0 00	
Kunigal ...	0 02	00 00	00 12	—0 12	
Kortagere ...	0 03	00 00	00 15	—0 15	
Turuvekere ...	0 05	00 00	00 07	—0 07	
District Average ...	0 03	00 42	00 14	+0 28	
MYSORE					
Mysore ...	0 03	00 07	00 14	—0 07	
Chamarajnagar ...	0 03	00 10	00 23	—0 13	
Hunsur ...	0 03	00 00	00 13	—0 13	
Krishnarajnagar ...	0 03	00 00	00 11	—0 11	
Heggaddevankote ...	0 07	00 00	00 25	—0 25	
Gundlupet ...	0 06	00 00	00 27	—0 27	
Nanjangud ...	0 06	00 00	00 12	—0 12	
T.-Narsipur ...	0 02	00 00	00 13	—0 13	
Periyapatna ...	0 02	00 00	00 13	—0 13	
District Average ...	0 03	00 02	00 16	—0 13	

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 a.m. on Saturday the 18th January 1947—contd. — This week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1947 — Last 35 years' average for the corresponding week 23·87	This year	Average of past 35 years	Excess (+) or deficit (—) of col. 4 compared with col. 5 +14·93
1	2	3	4	5	6
	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.	I. c.
MANDYA.					
Mandya ...	0 03	00 00	00 11	—0 11	
Seringapatam ...	0 07	00 00	00 11	—0 11	
Malvalli ...	0 02	00 31	00 07	+0 24	
Krishnarajpet ...	0 04	00 00	00 13	—0 13	
Nagamangala ...	0 04	00 00	00 16	—0 16	
Maddur ...	0 04	00 00	00 13	—0 13	
French-Rocks ...	0 03	00 03	00 09	—0 03	
District Average ...	0 04	00 05	00 11	—0 06	
HASSAN.					
Hassan ...	0 03	00 00	00 03	—0 03	
Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	0 05	00 00	00 11	—0 11	
Arkalgud ...	0 05	00 00	00 11	—0 11	
Belur ...	0 05	00 00	00 12	—0 12	
Channarayapatna ...	0 01	00 00	00 12	—0 12	
Arsikere ...	0 05	00 10	00 10	—0 00	
Hole-Narsipur ...	0 01	00 00	00 06	—0 09	
Alur ...	0 04	00 00	00 09	—0 09	
District Average ...	0 04	00 01	00 10	—0 09	
SHIMOGA.					
Shimoga ...	0 04	00 00	00 03	—0 03	
Channagiri ...	0 06	00 00	00 06	—0 06	
Honnali ...	0 02	00 00	00 02	—0 02	
Shikarpur ...	0 00	00 00	00 01	—0 01	
Sorab ...	0 01	00 00	00 05	—0 05	
Sagar ...	0 02	00 00	00 05	—0 05	
Nagar (Kallurkatte) ...	0 01	00 00	00 05	—0 05	
Tirthahalli ...	0 06	00 00	00 09	—0 09	
Kumsi ...	0 00	00 00	00 00	—0 00	
District Average ...	0 02	00 00	00 42	—0 42	
KADUR.					
Chikmagalur ...	0 07	00 00	00 17	—0 17	
Kadur ...	0 04	00 39	00 09	+0 30	
Tarikere ...	0 07	00 30	00 08	+0 22	
Koppa ...	0 04	00 00	00 16	—0 16	
Mudgere ...	0 06	00 00	00 15	—0 15	
Narasimharajpura ...	0 01	00 00	00 09	—0 09	
Sringeri ...	0 07	00 00	00 14	—0 14	
District Average ...	0 05	00 09	00 12	—0 03	
CHITALDRUG.					
Chitaldrug ...	0 02	00 00	00 08	—0 08	
Challakere ...	0 00	00 90	00 06	+0 84	
Hiriyur ...	0 00	00 00	00 08	—0 08	
Holalkere ...	0 00	02 16	00 07	+2 09	
Davangere ...	0 00	00 00	00 00	0 00	
Molakalmuru ...	0 04	00 00	00 12	—0 12	
Jagalur ...	0 00	00 20	00 05	+0 15	
Hosdurga ...	0 01	00 00	00 05	—0 05	
Harihar ...	0 03	00 00	00 04	—0 04	
District Average ...	0 01	00 86	00 06	+0 80	
Provincial Average ...	0 04	00 12	00 17	—0 05	

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS IN SEERS PER RUPEE AND MARKET FLUCTUATIONS IN PRICES OF FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE 3RD WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 18TH JANUARY 1947.

	Kind of grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years fortnightly average
		Srs.	Srs.	Srs.
Bangalore	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	7·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	16·0
	Kulthi ...	2·4	2·4	12·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	7·0
Kolar	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·6	3·6	7·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	13·0
	Kulthi ...	2·4	2·4	8·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	7·0
Tumkur	Rice, 2nd ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	12·0
	Kulthi ...	2·8	2·8	6·0
	Kadal ...	2·0	2·0	8·0
Mysore	Rice ...	3·8	3·8	5·0
	Ra ...	6·0	6·0	10·0
	...	3·0	3·0	9·0
	...	2·8	2·8	10·0

	Kind of grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years fortnightly average
		Srs.	Srs.	Srs.
Mandya	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	4·8
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	9·0
	Kulthi ...	1·12	1·12	8·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	8
Hassan	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	7·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	16 0
	Kulthi ...	2 4	2·4	2·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	5·0
Shimoga.	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·6	3·8	6·9
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	15·99
	Kulthi ...	2·4	2·4	..
	Bengal gram ...	2 4	2·4	10·48
Kadur	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·12	3·12	8·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6·0	16·0
	Kulthi ...	2·8	2·8	10·0
	Kadale ...	2·8	2·8	6·0
Chital-drug	Rice, 2nd sort ...	3·8	3·8	6·0
	Ragi ...	6·0	6 0	16·0
	Kulthi ...	2·12	2·12	14·0
	Cholum ...	6·0	6·0	15·0
	Kadale ...	2·4	2·4	7·0

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of the season, tracts in which rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks on the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE.

8. Generally well supplied.

9. Paddy is reported to be harvested in Nelamangala, Anekal, Dodballapur, Channapatna and Closepet Taluks ; ragi in Channapatna and Closepet Taluks; kulthi in Channapatna Taluk and sugarcane in Nelamangala Taluk respectively.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair in all the taluks.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

12. *Public Health* —Plague is reported to be prevailing in Closepet and Kutugal Villages of Closepet Taluk. Necessary preventive measures are reported to have been taken to check the spread of the disease.

KOLAR.

8. Moderately supplied through Government Depots.

9. Wet fields are being prepared for sowing vaisaki paddy.

Seeds sown.—Paddy.

Crops harvested.—Paddy, ragi.

Standing crops.—Sugarcane, horsegram, avare, thogari paddy are reported to be in good condition.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for black-quarters at Chickakattahalli in Bowringpet Taluk. Fodder and water are available.

Public Health.—Public health is generally good except for plague at Muthakapalli, Yeldur Hobli in Srinivaspur Taluk.

TUMKUR.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Paddy in Pavagada, Tiptur and Madhugiri Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugarcane, greengram, groundnut, and horsegram in Tumkur Taluk ; paddy, avare, thogari and horsegram in Madhugiri Taluk ; paddy, thogari, avare, huruli, bengalgram, groundnut, sugarcane and jola in Sira Taluk; avare, thogari paddy and horsegram in Gubbi Taluk; jola, avare, thogari, huruli, castor and hutchellu in Tiptur Taluk ; paddy, sugarcane, avare, thogari, and horsegram in Kunigal Taluk ; avare, thogari and sugarcane in Kortagere Taluk ; and paddy, sugarcane, avare, thogari and castor in Turuvekere Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Groundnut in Tumkur Taluk, sugarcane and avare in Madhugiri Taluk; ragi, haraka, navane, korale, groundnut and thogari in Sira Taluk; paddy and horsegram in Gubbi Taluk ; jola, haraka and castor in Tiptur Taluk ; haraka, horsegram and groundnut in Pavagada Taluk ; avare and thogari in Kortagere Taluk; horsegram in Turuvekere Taluk.

10. Fair.

11. Public health is generally good but for prevalence of plague in some parts of Kunigal Taluk ; in Pavagada Town, Tumkur Town and Chiknaikanhalli Town and the prevalence of samll-pox in Rangapur Village in Honnavalli Hobli.

Cattle are generally healthy. Water and Fodder are available. Labour classes find sufficient labour.

N. B.—Ragi crop is reported to have been damaged in Kunigal Taluk on account of unwanted rains during the first and second weeks.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied

9. *Seeds sown:*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, bengalgram, sugarcane, horsegram.

Crops harvested.—Paddy, ragi, horsegram are being harvested in the taluks of Nanjangud, T.-Narasipur and Gundlupet.

10. (1) Good. (2) Nil. (3) Nil. (4) None under relief. (5) Sufficient quantities of foodgrains are available in all the parts of this district.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Fodder and water are available in all the parts of the district.

MANDYA.

8. Fairly well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Sugarcane in the Irwin Canal Area is reported to be in good condition..

Seeds sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Sugarcane in the Irwin Canal Area, Ragi in French-Rocks Taluk ; Horsegram in Malavalli and Mandya Taluks and paddy in all the taluks of the district are being harvested.

10. The prospects of the season are fair. Sufficient quantities of foodgrains were available. No relief works were started. Fodder and water were available in sufficient quantities.

11. The condition of the Agricultural stock was good. The Public Health was generally good except for plague in Aghalaya, Doddasomanahalli and Gajinkere villages in Krishnaraj pet taluk. Action has been taken to arrest the spread of the epidemic. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied. Rice and ragi are being distributed from Government, Co-operative and Village Panchayet Depots.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugarcane in Belur, Chennarayapatna and Alur Taluks; Horsegram in Belur, and Chennarayapatna Taluks; Blackgram and greengram in Belur Taluk; Bengalgram in Belur and Arsikere Taluks; Avare in Arsikere and Chennarayapatna Taluks; Chillies and castor in Arsikere Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy is being hervested in Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur and Chennarayapatna Taluks; Horsegram is being reaped in Belur Taluk and Sugarcane is being milled in parts of Hassan Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

11. Water and fodder are available for cattle.

Cattle are reported to be healthy.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market fairly well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—"Hombandu" (Greengram and bengalgram etc.,) seeds are sown in Shikarpur Taluk.

Standing Crops :—Sugarcane is reported to be in good condition in all the taluks.

Dry Crops.—Thogari and chillies are reported to be in good condition in Chennagiri Taluk and Chillies in Honnali Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Harvesting of paddy is going on in all the taluks. Harvesting of Thogari, Avare in Honnali Taluk; horsegram in Kumsi Sub-Taluk are going on.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair in all the taluks. Adequate foodgrains are available in all the parts of this District. Labourers are finding sufficient employment.

11. Fodder and water are available for the cattle in all the parts of this district and they are reported to be healthy in all the parts.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugarcane, avare, bengalgram in Chikmagalur Taluk; summer jola, avare, bengalgram, coriander and wheat in Kadur Taluk; and sugarcane in Mudigere, Koppa Taluks and in Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk, are the standing crops.

Crops harvested.—Paddy and sugarcane are being harvested in all the taluks of the district. Paddy is being thrashed.

Public Health.—Public health is generally good in the district except for the prevalence of plague in some villages of Kadur Taluk.

Preventive measures are adopted to check the spread of the disease.

Labour is available and the condition of the labour classes is satisfactory.

10. The seasonal conditions are fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in the district.

Fodder and water are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to have been well supplied.

9. *Sowing of Paddy.*—Wheat and navane are reported to be in progress under irrigation wells and nalas.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, bengalgram in all the taluks, wheat, navane, horsegram, oil seeds in Challakere Taluk; Sugarcane and cotton in Hiriyur Taluk; thogari and save and cotton in Davangere Taluk are reported to be in good condition. Bilijola is reported to have been affected in Hiriyur, Holalkere and Chitaldrug taluk on account of recent rains in previous weeks. Thogari and avare are reported to have been slightly damaged on account of clouds in Harihar taluk.

Harvest.—Paddy and horsegram in Challakere Taluk; thogari in Holalkere Taluk greengram in Harihar Taluk, are reported to have been harvested.

10. Relief works have been started and are in progress except in Davangere and Harihar Taluks. Separate special report is being sent to Government and to the Revenue Commissioner.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the district.

Water and fodder are available.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PRICES CURRENT (RETAIL) OF RICE (2ND SORT), RAGI AND HORSEGRAM AT THE SEVERAL TALUK HEADQUARTERS FOR THE 3RD WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 18TH JANUARY 1947.

District	Taluk	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas: Rice, 2nd sort	Ragi	Horse-gram	Bengal-gram
		Srs. Chs	Srs. Chs.	Srs. Chs	Srs Chs.
Bangalore	Bangalore North / Bangalore South	3 8	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Hoskote	3 8	6 0	2 4	2 0
	Dodballapur	3 8	6 0	2 0	1 0
	Nelamangala	3 0	6 0	3 0	2 0
	Kankanhalli	3 8	6 0	...	2 8
	Magadi	3 8	6 0	4 4	2 4
	Channapatna	3 8	6 0	2 8	2 4
	Anekal	3 8	6 0	4 0	2 0
	Devanhalli	3 0	6 0	2 0	2 0
	Closepet	3 0	6 0	2 0	1 12
Kolar	Kolar	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Bowringpet	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Chintamani	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Mulbagal	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Sidlaghatta	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Chikballapur	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Bagepalli	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Goribidnur	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Malur	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Srinivaspur	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Gudibanda	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
Tumkur	Tumkur	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Madhugiri	3 8	6 0	2 10	...
	Chiknayakanhalli	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Sira	3 0	6 0	2 8	...
	Gubbi	3 8	6 0	2 8	...
	Tiptur	3 0	6 0	3 0	...
	Pavagada	3 8	6 0	2 0	...
	Kunigal	3 8	6 0	2 4	...
	Kortagere	3 0	6 0	2 8	...
	Turuvekere	3 8	6 0	2 0	...
Mysore	Mysore	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Chamarajnagar	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Hunsur	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Krishnarajnagar	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Heggaddevankote	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Gundlupet	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Nanjangud	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	T-Narsipur	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
	Periyapatna	3 8	6 0	3 0	2 8
Mandya	Mandya	3 8	6 0	1 12	2 12
	Seringapatam	3 8	6 0	2 0	2 12
	Malvalli	3 8	6 0	1 12	2 12
	Krishnarajpet	3 8	6 0	2 0	2 12
	Nagamangala	3 8	6 0	2 0	2 12
	Maddur	3 8	6 0	1 12	2 12
	French-Rocks	3 8	6 0	2 0	2 12
Hassan	Hassan	3 8	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Manjarabad	3 12	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Arkalgud	3 12	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Belur	3 12	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Channarayapatna	3 8	6 0	2 12	2 4
	Arsikere	3 8	6 0	2 12	2 4
	Hole-Narsipur	3 8	6 0	2 12	2 4
	Alur	3 12	6 0	2 4	2 4
Shimoga	Shimoga	3 8	6 0	2 4	2 4
	Channagiri	3 8	6 4	2 8	2 8
	Honnali	3 8	6 4	3 0	1 8
	Shikarpur	3 12	6 0	2 0	2 8
	Sorab	3 12	6 0	3 0	2 0
	Sagar	3 12	6 0	2 8	3 0
	Nagar	3 12	6 0	3 0	2 0
	Tirthahalli	3 12	6 0	2 0	...
	Kumsi	3 12	6 0	2 4	1 8
Kadur	Chikmagalur	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 8
	Kadur	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 4
	Tarikere	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 8
	Koppa	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 4
	Mudgere	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 4
	Narasimharajapura	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 0
	Sringeri	3 12	6 0	2 8	2 0
Chitaldrug	Chitaldrug	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Challakere	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Hiriyur	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Holalkere	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Davangere	3 8	6 0	2 13	...
	Molakalmuru	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Jagalur	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Hosdurga	3 8	6 0	2 12	...
	Harihar	3 8	6 0	2 12	...

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
Dated Bangalore 21st January 1947.

S. NARAYANA RAO,
Revenue Commissioner.

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MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDED THURSDAY, 16TH JANUARY 1947.

A total of 102 attacks with 51 deaths from Plague was returned from 29 villages in 20 taluks in 7 districts during the week against 103 attacks with 56 deaths in the previous week. Cities of Bangalore and Mysore reported 3 attacks with 1 death and 1 attack with nil death respectively while Kolar Gold Field area reported free from Plague. Comparative figures for the corresponding week in 1946 and 1945 were 133 attacks with 79 deaths and 323 attacks with 187 deaths respectively.

A total of 15 attacks with 4 deaths from Small-pox were reported from Davangere and Harihar Taluks.

20 attacks with 5 deaths from Cholera were reported from Aruvanahalli Village, in Sravanabelagola Hobli in Channarayapatna Taluk and from Ramanoddapalli Village in Gulur Hobli in Bagepalli Taluk.

The State remained free from Influenza and Relapsing Fever.

The total mortality for Bangalore City amounted to 120 (34 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 21·0 (15·1 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 27·7 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered: 1 under Plague, 2 under Typhoid, 5 under Other Fevers, 6 under Phthisis, 22 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 84 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was normal.

During the week the Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, returned 76 deaths (13 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 22.7 (18·8 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 31·3 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Pneumonia 12, Phthisis 4, Dysentery and Diarrhœa 12 and All Other Causes 48.

The total mortality for Mysore City was 41 (18 in hospitals) representing a calculated death-rate of 12·0 (6·7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 11·4 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths were: Other Fevers 3, Dysentery and Diarrhoea 5, and All Other Causes 33. The reported mortality was very very low.

There were 40 deaths (5 in hospitals) from all causes in Kolar Gold Fields area equivalent to a calculated death-rate of 12·6 (11·0 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population as against 15·3 for the corresponding week of last year. Classified according to causes the deaths numbered: 3 under Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 37 under All Other Causes. The reported mortality was very very low.

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